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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Belarus to the United Nations has the honour to transmit a report on measures taken by the Republic of Belarus to implement Security Council resolution 1929 (2010) (see annex).

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Implementation of Security Council resolution 1929 (2010) concerning the Islamic Republic of Iran by the Republic of Belarus

The Belarus Ministry of Foreign Affairs duly informed the competent national authorities of the adoption of United Nations Security Council resolution 1929 (2010) and of the need to implement the provisions contained therein, including the measures provided for in paragraphs 7 to 19 and 21 to 24.

Belarus legislation stipulates that any activities relating to specific goods, or works or services, including activities indicated in paragraphs 7, 8 and 9 of the resolution, may only be performed by legal entities of the Republic of Belarus and only with special licences. None of the companies granted special licences are legal entities constituted with Iranian capital.

The Belarus State authorities authorized to issue licences for the export or import of armaments have taken measures to prevent the following:

- The supply, sale or transfer to Iran of armaments and military equipment as defined for the purpose of the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms or related materiel, including spare parts;
- The provision of technical training, financial resources or services, advice and other services or assistance, in compliance with paragraph 8 of resolution 1929 (2010);
- The transfer of the technology or technical assistance described in paragraph 9 of the resolution.

The lists of items, materials, equipment, goods and technology reproduced in documents INFCIRC/254/Rev.9/Part 1, INFCIRC/254/Rev.7/Part 2 and S/2010/263 have been incorporated into Belarus export control legislation.

In accordance with current legislation, the competent authorities of the Republic of Belarus maintain close scrutiny of the individuals and legal entities referred to in relevant documents of the Security Council, with a view to preventing activities prohibited by Security Council resolutions.

All cargo at Belarus airports is inspected in accordance with customs legislation, including cargo being transported to and from Iran. The Republic of Belarus does so in order to comply with its international obligations, including those relating to non-proliferation and arms control. If it detects items the supply, sale, transfer or export of which are prohibited by paragraphs 3, 4 or 7 of resolution 1737 (2006), paragraph 5 of resolution 1747 (2007), paragraph 8 of resolution 1803 (2008) or paragraphs 8 and 9 of resolution 1929 (2010), the Republic of Belarus will take the action provided for in paragraphs 16 and 17 of resolution 1929 (2010).

Financial organizations have been instructed to ensure that their activities comply with the resolutions concerning the provision of financial services, transactions involving financial assets or resources, and relations with Iranian banks and financial institutions.